

Docket No. 247384US55CONT  
IN RE APPLICATION OF: Christof ERBAN  
SERIAL NO: 10/642,278  
FILED: August 18, 2003  
FOR: METHOD FOR MANAGING A PHOTOVOLTAIC SOLAR MODULE AND A PHOTOVOLTAIC SOLAR MODULE



“RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116-  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE EXAMINING  
GROUP 1753”

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §1.9 and §1.27 is claimed.  
☐ Additional documents filed herewith:

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AMENDMENT

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SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated September 13, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected at the listing of claims which begin on page 2 of the paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.